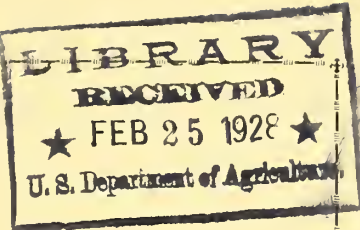


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## MIDWEST DAHLIA FARM

FINEST VARIETIES-ORIGINAL STOCK

EARLE W. HOUGHTON

GALVA, HENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

SPRING 1928

THIS YEAR—we have for you an even better selection of Dahlias than our 1927 list. It is true that many of last year's listings we have kept—for the simple reason that we have been unable to find superior varieties to displace them,—but we have found it advisable to make a few changes, and we have also added several new and different sorts, which we are sure you will like—very, very much.

In our descriptions we are giving you briefly, the more important details concerning each of the different kinds. They are all good—extra good—and because we have not taken the space to say much about fine stems, excellent habits of growth, etc., you must not imagine for a moment that they are deficient in these respects. Any Dahlia must have the necessary qualifications before we shall recommend it to our customers. We have indicated ratings, type, color, size range, and certain awards of merit, all of which points should help you in making a choice. The real pictures of these flowers, however, must be left very largely to your own imagination, and because, as we have mentioned, they are all splendid varieties, we feel sure that you will be in no way disappointed with any selection you may make, which your particular fancy, in the matter of color and type shall dictate.

Our Price List is not an elaborate one. We realize the tendency on the part of purchasers to judge goods to a certain extent by the way in which they are presented, and there is no question but what an attractive and costly catalogue makes a better first impression than a less pretentious one. There is nevertheless the matter of expense to be considered. If we are to put a lot of money into our catalogue—and other advertising—we must, in turn, get more for our product; whereas, by keeping these expenditures at a minimum, we are able to give you better prices. We have decided, for the time being at least, to run the advertising department of our business at the lowest possible cost, and to set our prices accordingly. Now if these prices suit you, and our selection of varieties is sufficiently comprehensive to meet your demands, there remains but one important item for you to consider—namely, the quality of our stock. All we can say in this connection is that all stock which goes out from this place, is very carefully selected with a view to giving our customers the greatest possible satisfaction, for it is upon this satisfaction that the growth and success of our business depend.

If you have never had dealings with us we shall be pleased to have you give us a trial order—this Spring.

Our regular customers know the kind of goods we deliver, and in closing we want to express our appreciation of their business, and to assure them that we shall endeavor, as heretofore, to merit a continuance of this patronage.

Yours very truly,

*Earle W. Houghton*





# OUR 1928 LIST

We have used abbreviations as follows:

**For Type or Formation:** H—Hybrid; D—Decorative; C—Cactus; P—Peony; A—American; E—English; S—Show.

**Ratings (Approved):** Indicated by figures, immediately preceding the name of the variety. A rating of 85 or over is considered very high.

**Length of time on market:** n—new; r—recent; and s—standard.

**Diameter of Blooms—**in inches, shown by figures following color description.

**Height of Plant—**in feet—Ht.

**Certificates of Merit—**C. of M.—Highest award of the Official Trial Grounds, located in various sections of the country, for a score of 85 or better.

**Roll of Honor—**H. R.—List of selections published annually by Derrill W. Hart, one of the best posted and best known Dahlia authorities in the world.

**Gold Medal and Sweepstakes** are the highest Show Awards.

**Other Prizes and Awards,** when mentioned include only the highest awards at the larger shows, where the competition is very strong, and where an award of any kind carries considerable significance.

**Prices:** The prices shown are for single, field-grown root divisions—not pot-plants, nor pot roots. These prices cancel all previous quotations, and are made subject to the available supply. (Some of our stock is limited.)

**List Arrangement:** Color is usually the first consideration in making flower selections, and we have arranged our list accordingly.

**NOTE:** We can supply post-card size, actual photographs of our own flowers, of any of the varieties marked (P). Our charge for these is 10c each, to cover the cost of printing and mailing.



## RED: all shades, including the orange-reds or flame colors:

- n— **Adam Felsinger**—D.—Rose-red, white edges and reverse—5"-7". (P) A new, rare, and strikingly beautiful variety. C. of M. Ht. 4'-4' 5".....\$ 3.50
- s—84—**Anun Ra**—D.—Orange-red, copper suffusion—6"-8". Ht. 4'-5'. An "HR" variety, carrying also Gold Medal and other awards..... .75
- s—89—**Ben Wilson**—D.—Rich red, gold shading and tips—6"-8". (P) Ht. 3'-4' Gorgeously coloring. One of the 12 highest rated Decoratives..... .75
- r—88—**Black Jack**—D.—Very dark shade of red—6"-7". Ht. 4'-5'. The best of the "Blacks"..... 1.50
- s—88—**Daddy Butler**—H. C.—Velvety rose-red, white reflex—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes 3rd Highest rated H. C..... 1.00
- r—87—**Elite Glory**—D.—Radiant red—7"-11". (Note size.) Ht. 3'-4'. "HR" variety, carrying 4 C. of M. and innumerable other awards ..... 4.50
- s—87—**Emperor, The**—D.—Dark, red, tyrian-rose cast—5"-7". Ht. 4'-5'. One of our best sellers, to garden visitors. Fine coloring ..... 1.00
- n— **Flaming Meteor**—H. D.—Brilliant red shades—3"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. 1st, 50 bloom class Los Angeles 1926 and 7. Good keeper ..... 4.50
- n— **Fort Washington**—D.—Deep red—7"-9". Ht. 7'-9". 1927 Honor Roll. Very tall growing variety.... 5.00



DECORATIVE TYPE

- s—85—**F. W. Fellowes**—E. C.—Orange-scarlet—6"-7". (Foreign variety.) C. of M. One of the very best of this type. Ht. 3.5'-4.5"..... .50
- s—88—**Giant Ruby**—D.—Rich, vivid red—5"-6.5". 2—C. of M. (P) "HR"—1st in Red Class four years straight New York Show. Ht. 4'-6"..... .75
- s—86—**Grizzly, The**—H. D.—Dark velvety red—6"-8". Ht. 4'-5'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Almost H. C. type. Very popular ..... .75
- u— **Hathor**—H. D.—Crimson and orange blend—6"-8". (P) Ht. 4.5'-5.5'. Honor Roll and other awards. You can see it a mile..... 4.50
- r—88—**Jersey's Beacon**—D.—Scarlet, tan reverse—6"-7.5". Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M. 4 years HR. Many other awards. One of the very best reds..... 2.00
- s—84—**Kalif**—H. C.—Rich red—6"-7". (Foreign variety.) Ht. 3'-4'. Silver Medal Germany. Best standard bright red in this type..... .50
- r— **Kobinoor**—H. C.—Very dark maroon—6"-9". Ht. 4'-5'. Probably the best dark red Hybrid Cactus ..... 1.25
- s—90—**MacGregor**—H. C.—Spectrum red—5.5"-7". Ht. 3'-3.5". 2 C. of M. Highest rated Hybrid Cactus. Profuse bloomer ..... 1.00
- s—85—**Mina Burtle**—D.—Bright, rich red—5"-6". Ht. 4'-5'. C. of M. Orig. 1915 and still going strong ..... .50
- n— **Pride of Stratford**—D.—Orange-red, copper suffusion—6"-9". Ht. 4'-5'. Similar color "Anun Ra," different form. Very dependable ..... 4.50
- n— **Sidney B. Mitchell**—D.—Deep, velvety red, rose tips—7"-9". Ht. 4'-5". 2 C. of M. One of the best we have grown. Highly recommended..... 2.50

## YELLOW SHADES: including the orange-yellows, bronze, buff, gold, lemon, primrose, canary, cream, etc.

- n—85—**Alice Whittier**—H. C.—Primrose yellow—7"-9". Ht. 5'-6". 2 C. of M. Twice H. R. Best flower San Francisco 1926 ..... 3.50
- r—90—**Al Koran**—H. D.—Goldenrod—6"-7". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. Numerous prizes. Petals marcelled—beautiful. .... 1.50
- s—90—**Ambassador**—A. C.—Apricot-yellow, pink suffusion—6"-8.5". (P) Highest rated Cactus. 4 times HR. C. of M.—New Jersey. Ht. 3.5'-4.5"..... 1.00
- r— **Avalon**—D.—Bright lemon yellow—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. best popular priced yellow Dec. we have grown ..... 1.00
- s—84—**Bertha Horne**—H. C.—Buff and orange shades—6"-7". (P) Ht. 3'-3.5". C. of M. Very satisfactory. Better than many high priced ones..... .50
- s—89—**Champaign**—D.—Golden chamois—6"-8". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes. 6th highest rated Decorative ..... 1.25
- n—88—**Eastern Star**—D.—Saffron and gold blend—6"-9". Ht. 4'-5'. C. of M.—New Jersey. 3 times HR. Many prizes. Excellent ..... 2.50
- s—88—**El Dorado**—D.—Gold—6"-7". Ht. 3'-3.5". C. of M.—New Jersey. 2 HR. 7th Highest rated D. Splendid cut flower ..... 1.50
- s—88—**Gladys Bates**—A. C.—Tan, rose reflex—5"-6.5". (P) Ht. 3'-3.5". 3rd Highest rated true Cactus. Good ones of this type are scarce..... .75
- r— **Granada**—D.—Light lemon yellow—6"-7". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. Very unusual, broad petalled formation. No medals, but good..... 1.50





### ENGLISH CACTUS TYPE

r—	Grandola—D.—Orange-bronze—5.5"-7". Ht. 4.5'-5.5'. 1926 and 7 Honor Roll. Wonderful cut flower. Here to stay .....	4.50
s—87—	Insulinde—D.—Russet, glistening gold sheen—5.5"-6.5". Ht. 3'-4'. (Foreign.) C. of M. Many awards. Beautiful formation. No better cut flower .....	.75
r—87—	Jersey's Radiant—H. C.—Pale orange—6"-8". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. C. of M. 2 HR. Several prizes. Unusual and attractive color .....	1.50
n—88—	King Solomon—H. C.—Glistening golden-orange—7"-8.5". Ht. 3.5'-4'. HR. One of the highest rated this type. Very beautiful .....	2.50
n—	Lemonade, The—D.—Light yellow shades—6"-7.5". Ht. 3'-4'. 1927 HR. The best Decorative we have grown in this color .....	4.50
n—91—	Marmion—D.—Golden yellow—7"-10". Ht. 5'-6'. 1925-6-7 HR. One of the largest; also one of the highest rated .....	4.50
r—91—	M. H. DeYoung—D.—Old gold—5'-6". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. Prize winner. One of the best for cutting. Superfine .....	2.00
s—87—	Myra Valentine—D.—Golden bronze—6"-7". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. Gold Medal Variety. 2 C. of M. Many other prizes. Extra long stems .....	1.00
r—86—	Nichu—H. C.—Light yellow—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. HR variety. One of the highest rated in this type .....	2.25
s—86—	Patrick O'Mara—D.—Gold, tinted rose—5'-6". Ht. 4'-5'. 2 C. of M. Many awards. Wonderful keeper when cut .....	.50
n—89—	Primula Rex—D.—Cream-yellow—7"-9". Ht. 4'-5'. 1926 and 7 HR. One of the best new varieties .....	4.50
n—	Rocky Edge—D.—Pure, rich golden yellow—7"-9". Ht. 4.5'-5.5'. A rare variety, and the most vivid yellow we have seen .....	3.00
r—89—	Rollo Boy—H. C.—Amber and old gold—7"-9". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. One of the highest rated. Many awards. Good everywhere .....	1.75
r—90—	Sagamore—D.—Lemon, apricot and gold blend—5.5"-6.5". Ht. 4'-5'. 4 time HR. C. of M., innumerable prizes; very high rating .....	1.50
n—86—	Sole Mio—H. C.—Golden yellow, very faint red tints—7"-10". Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M., 2 times HR. Wonderful exhibition variety .....	3.00
s—89—	Winfield Slocombe—D.—Gold, orange bronze—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M., HR. 1st five years straight New York Show. Great coloring .....	1.25

### PINK SHADES: including salmon, rose, rose-pink, lavender-pink, etc.,

r—	Alice Longfellow—H. C.—Pink, gold center, blush tips—6"-7". (P) Exquisite coloring. Vigorous, semi-dwarf growth. Ht. 3'-3.5' .....	1.50
r—88—	Ellenor Vanderveer—D.—Rose-pink—6"-7.5". Ht. 3'-4'. 1925-6-7 HR. Many awards. Wonderful stems and carriage .....	1.50
r—87—	Emma Marie—H. C.—Pink, cream center—6"-7". Ht. 4'-5'. 1925-6-7 HR. C. of M.—New Jersey. Splendid cut-flower variety .....	1.50
s—87—	Esther R Holmes—H. C.—Orchid-pink—5"-6.5". (P) Ht. 5'-6'. C. of M. Many prizes. 7th highest rated H. C. Very dependable .....	.50
i—87—	Ethel M.—H. C.—Lavender-pink, white center and tips—6"-7". C. of M. Highly recommended for all purposes. Ht. 3'-4' .....	1.00

r—88—	Faith Garibaldi—D.—Rose-pink—7"-8". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. 1926-7 HR. 2 Gold Medals and other awards. Best in cool weather .....	1.75
s—87—	George Walters—H. C.—Salmon-pink and buff—6"-8". Ht. 3'-4'. Gold Medal and many other awards. 1st of the extra large Dahlias .....	.50
s—88—	Halvella—D.—Old-rose-pink—7"-8". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. An extra fine variety at a very reasonable price .....	.75
s—91—	Jersey's Beauty—D.—True pink—5"-7". (P) Ht. 5'-6'. 4 C. of M., 4 HR. More prizes than any other Dahlia. The King Pink .....	.75
r—87—	Margaret Masson—D.—Rose-pink—7"-8". Ht. 3'-4'. 4 HR. Silver Medal and other awards. C. of M.—New Jersey. Very beautiful .....	2.00
s—90—	Mariposa—H. C.—Lavender-pink, suffused white—6"-7". Ht. 3.5'-4'. 2 HR. C. of M.—New Jersey. 2nd highest rated Hybrid Cactus .....	.75
s—87—	Mr. Crowley—D.—Salmon-pink, tinted gold—5"-6.5". Ht. 2.5'-3.5'. Strong, semi-dwarf growth. Very fine color. Big seller .....	.75
r—86—	Mrs. Alfred Harvey—E. C.—Pure, salmon-pink—6"-7". (Foreign.) HR. (P) Best pink in this type. Stock limited. Ht. 4'-5' .....	2.00
s—89—	Papillon—H. C.—Old rose and gold blend—6"-7". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M., HR., and other awards. Rates very high—with us also .....	1.00
r—89—	Robert Treat—D.—American Beauty Rose shade—6"-7.5". Ht. 3'-4'. 2 HR. Sweepstakes, Silver Medal, etc. Wonderful color and form .....	1.50
r—88—	Sanhican Gem—H. D.—Salmon-rose—6"-8". (P) Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. One of the best on the whole list. Beautiful and reliable .....	2.25
r—87—	Sanhican Rose—D.—True rose shade—5"-6". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. Not large, but a rare and fascinating color. Fine cut .....	1.00
s—87—	Wizard of Oz—H. D.—Amber-pink—7"-9". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M., Sweepstakes, other awards. Vigorous. Exhibition type .....	1.50

### PURPLE: all shades including Mauve (light rose-purple), violet, lilac, lavender, etc.,

r—	Farncot—A. C.—Purple, tipped white—5.5"-6.5". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M. A rare variety. Very different and very good .....	2.00
s—88—	Florence Finger—D.—Deep, rose-lavender—5"-6". Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M. Very satisfactory for cutting .....	.50
n—87—	Jersey's Ideal—D.—Deep mauve-pink—6"-7". (Color plate.) Ht. 3'-4'. 1925-6-7 H. R. C. of M. One of the best of the Jerseys .....	4.50
r—	Kirby's Attraction—H. C.—Pure lavender and white—5.5"-6.5". Ht. 3'-4'. Little known Dahlia we have found extra good. Highly recommended ..	2.00
s—91—	Mrs. I. deVer Warner—D.—Light rose-purple—6"-7". Ht. 4'-5'. 2 H. R. C. of M. One of the finest Dahlias ever introduced .....	.75
r—	Nazareno—D.—True purple—6"-8". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. A rare variety, and the best purple we have seen ..	3.00
r—88—	Pop Stewart—D.—Clear lilac—6"-7.5". Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M.—New Jersey. O. K. in all respects...	2.00



### AMERICAN CACTUS TYPE





SHOW OR BALL TYPE

- r-88—**Sanhican Bluebird**—D.—Bright violet, blue cast—5.5"-7". Rare color and good otherwise. Very popular. Ht. 3'-4'. ..... 2.00
- s-89—**Shadow's Lavender**—D.—Clear lavender and white—6"-7". Ht. 4'-5". 3 H. R. and many other high awards, including Gold Medal. .... 1.25
- r-86—**Siskiyon**—H. C.—Many with gold suffusion—9"-11". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes for largest flower. Erect carriage. .... 2.00
- s-87—**Susan G. Tevis**—D.—Deep lilac or amethyst—6"-7.5". Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. Gold Medal variety. C. of M. Should be in every Dahlia garden. .... 1.35
- n—**Wanda Miller**—D.—Purple, tipped white—5"-7". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. Striking combination on excellent stems. Scarce ..... 3.00

**WHITE: including blush and cream tints:**

- n-88—**Aida Patterson**—H. C.—Pure white—6"-7". (P) Ht. 6'-7". C. of M.—New Jersey. Almost true Cactus type. Very good. .... 4.00
- r-80—**Eliza Clarke Bull**—D.—Pure white—6.5"-8". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. H. R., C. of M., Gold Medal, etc. The best White Decorative ..... 3.50
- n-87—**Harry Sheldon, Jr.**—H. D.—White, lavender tints—6"-8". Ht. 3'-3.5". Very beautiful. Largest blooms sag somewhat. Worth growing. .... 2.00
- n-87—**Margaret Woodrow Wilson**—D.—Opalescent-pink; effect bluish-white—7"-9". 4 H. R. C. of M.—New Jersey. Remarkably fine in every way. Ht. 3'-4'. .... 3.50
- r—**Profusion (Broomall)**—H. C.—White—6"-7.5". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. Most profuse, large flowered variety in our garden. Stock limited. .... 2.00
- s-87—**Snowdrift**—D.—Pure white—6"-7.5". Ht. 2.5'-3.5". A big Dahlia for little money. Vigorous dwarf grower ..... .50
- s-89—**World's Best White**—D.—Cream-white—5"-7". (P) Ht. 5'-6". 2 H. R. Many prizes. The best of this shade ..... 1.50

**OTHER COLORS, and blends in which no one shade predominates:**

- s-86—**Alex. Wadlie**—D.—Cream, suffused salmon-pink—5.5"-7". Ht. 4'-5". C. of M.—New Jersey. Excellent variety. Attractive coloring. .... .75
- r—**Anaret**—D.—Reddish brown—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. Not generally listed. One of the most satisfactory we have grown. .... 3.50
- n-89—**Charles H. Stratton**—D.—Pale gold and rose—6"-8". Ht. 4'-5". C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes. Odd coloring. A beautiful flower. .... 1.75
- s-85—**Countess of Lonsdale**—A. C.—Salmon-red—4"-5". (Foreign.) Ht. 3'-4'. An old favorite. Most generous blooming variety on the list. .... .50
- s-84—**Dr. Tevis**—D.—Salmon, apricot and gold—6"-8". (P) Ht. 4'-5". C. of M. 4 Gold Medals, etc. Very fine. Few semi-double ..... .50
- s-86—**Earle Williams**—D.—Red and white—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. Silver Cup (A. D. S.) and many other awards. Best Standard these colors. .... .75

- n-86—**Elite Peach**—D.—Peach-pink—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. 1926 and 7 H. R. Very attractive color and fine for cutting ..... 3.50
- r-89—**Islam Patrol**—H. D.—Scarlet and gold—6"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. 2 H. R. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes. No Pastel Shades here. .... 1.75
- s-87—**Jean Chazot**—H. C.—Red and bronze—6"-7". (Foreign.) (P) C. of M.—France. One of the best from abroad. Ht. 3.5'-4.5'. .... .75
- r-89—**Jersey's Sovereign**—D.—Salmon-orange—5.5"-6.5". Ht. 3'-3.5". 2 C. of M. H. R. variety. Unusual and beautiful color. .... 1.50
- s-89—**Judge Marean**—D.—Rose, suffused copper and gold—5"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. One of the most beautiful and satisfactory varieties ever produced. .... 1.00
- r-88—**Marcella**—D.—Apricot-buff—6"-8". Ht. 5'-6". 3 times on the Honor Roll. A big favorite with all visitors ..... 2.00
- r-90—**Mrs. Eleanor Martin**—D.—Mulberry, suffused gold—6"-8.5". Ht. 3'-4'. H. R. variety. Prizes. 4th highest rated Decorative. Has everything. .... 2.00
- n—**Peggy Rolland**—D.—Rose-red and gold—6"-8". Ht. 4'-4.5". We took this on trial and everybody liked it so here it is for. .... 2.00
- n—**The Surprise**—D.—Mulberry—5"-9". Ht. 5'-6". Another new one that has made a big hit with our garden customers ..... 3.50
- r-88—**Trentonian**—D.—Dark copper—6"-7". Ht. 4'-5". 4 times H. R. Innumerable prizes. C. of M. One of the top-notchers ..... 2.00
- s-88—**The U. S. A.**—P. C.—Orange—5"-7". Ht. 3'-4'. 2 C. of M. Nearest true orange that we have seen. Most blooms H. C. .... 1.00

**FLORISTS' VARIETIES.**

The four Decorative types listed below are especially suitable for making up sprays, etc., as are also most of the Show and Pompons, practically all of which are excellent keepers.

**Baltimore**—Light yellow—4"-5" ..... Three for \$1.00

**Jack's Discovery**—Rose and cream—H. D.—4"-5" (P) ..... Three for 1.00

**Jean Kerr**—White—3.5"-4.5" ..... Three for 1.00

**Marcella**—Pink—4"-5" ..... Three for .75

Three of each of the above—one dozen in all. .... \$3.00

**Show or Ball Type Dahlias:**

- A. D. Lavoni**—Pink—2.5"-3.5" ..... \$ .25
- Dreer's Yellow**—Bright yellow—1'-5" ..... .50
- Gold Medal**—Red and gold—3.5"-4.5"—(P) ..... .50
- Helen Hollis**—Red—3.5"-4.5" ..... .35
- J. K. Alexander**—Rose-purple—4'-5"—(P) ..... .50
- La France**—Very dark red—2.5"-3.5" ..... .35
- Maud Adams**—White, tip pink—3'-4" ..... .35
- Norma**—Bronze-buff—3'-4" ..... .35
- Storm King**—Pure White—2.5"-3.5" ..... .25
- Princess Victoria**—Yellow—2.5"-3.5" ..... .25

**Pompons (Same formation as Show Type only much smaller):**

- Aimee**—Bronze ..... \$ .50
- Bobby**—Pinn ..... .50
- Dee Dee**—Lavender ..... .50
- Glow**—Rose ..... .50
- Goldie**—Gold ..... .50
- Joe Fette**—White ..... .50
- Johnny**—Dark Red ..... .50
- Little Beeswing**—Red and gold. .... .50
- Little David**—Orange ..... .50
- Nerissa**—Silver-rose ..... .75
- Sunshine**—Bright red ..... .50
- Yellow Gem**—Yellow ..... .50

**EXTRAS—Gratis.**

Orders amounting to from \$2.00 to \$3.00 entitle you to one 25c Dahlia, from this list, free of charge.

Orders amounting to from \$3.00 to \$4.00 entitle you to one 35c Dahlia, from this list, free of charge.

Orders amounting to from \$4.00 to \$5.00 entitle you to one 50c Dahlia, from this list, free of charge.

Orders amounting to \$5.00 or over entitle you to select from this list, free of charge, additional stock to the extent of 20 per cent of the total. For instance if you order \$7.50 worth of Dahlias you will be entitled to a \$1.50 variety extra.

In case you may care to leave the choice of extras to us, we shall do our best to see that you are not disappointed.

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:**

We make up Special Collections (labeled)—all first class varieties of our own selection for \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$10.00 per dozen, postpaid. These collections afford you a saving of about 25 per cent from list price. In case you may only wish a half dozen the prices are \$1.75, \$2.75 and \$5.25, which cover postage.

**SPECIAL NOTICE:**

Any variety you don't see listed—ask for.

We can supply you with **A-1 Stock** of any variety available on the market—**AT REASONABLE PRICE.**